



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

MS: RCE

Commissioner for Patents POB 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) within the second month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding final Office Action, dated February 27, 2003. (A Credit Card Authorization form is attached to cover the required fee of \$300.00 for the requested extension of time; Please note a one-month Extension of Time was requested on June 27, 2003.)

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in fees be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 566.40894X00) and any excess fees credited to that account.

Respectfully submitted,

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